

HOUSE BILL 1419

By Holsclaw

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54
and Title 55, relative to traffic-control signals.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-110, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(1) The department shall promulgate rules that establish standardized lengths of time a traffic-control signal must display the yellow or "Caution" signal light, when following the green or "Go" signal light. The lengths of time for the display of signal lights for traffic-control signal locations must be standardized by speed limit. Rules must be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5.

(2) The department and local governments shall ensure that each traffic-control signal is in compliance with the standardized display times established pursuant to subdivision () (1).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.